

Fire Wipes Out Part of Claysville Business Area; Bank Burned, Money Saved

Dozen Residences and Several
Stores Among Buildings
Destroyed.

BIG LOT WOOL MENACED

Three Hundred Thousand Pounds
Stored in Warehouse in Path of
Flames and Firemen Work Heroically
to Prevent Its Destruction.

By Associated Press.

CLAYSVILLE, Pa., Jan. 31.—Fire which started from an overheated stove in a store this morning spread so rapidly that within two hours a dozen buildings had been destroyed, with an estimated loss of \$250,000.

At 10 o'clock the fire was still burning, in spite of the efforts of fire companies summoned from Washington, 10 miles away.

The flames spread with alarming rapidity and soon after the alarm was sounded it became apparent that the principal business block in Main street was doomed. Among the buildings in the path of the flames, which were burning, were the National Bank of Claysville, McCann's drug store and the Marple general store, together with a number of residences.

Claysville has no fire department and a call for help was sent to Washington, the county seat. So far as known there has been no casualties. Frame buildings in the path of the flames provided ample fuel and a dozen or more were destroyed. One of the buildings which ignited was a warehouse said to contain 300,000 pounds of wool. Here the firemen centered their efforts and it seemed that the flames would be checked.

Officials of the bank, seeing that the building could not be saved, set to work and carried out money and securities, so that the loss to the institution, it was stated, would amount to nothing more than the building.

Women Voters Have First Chance for Part in Primaries

HARRISBURG, Jan. 31.—Pennsylvania women voters will cast their first vote for a governor and lieutenant governor at the November election, and will help select the party nominees for those offices at the May primaries. They also will have their first opportunity to help name the candidates for the United States Senate on Tuesday, May 16, when the spring primaries are held.

In 1920, the women, voting for the first time, had an opportunity to vote for candidates they did not help to select. The primaries in May will be the first of any great importance in which the women have participated, and it is believed they will make their influence felt. Two years ago the women helped elect members of the House, and in the odd-numbered districts that this has been done regularly.

Mr. Louden will also be required to move the lawn once a week "or as often as necessary" in season, clean each department regularly, make all repairs he is "able to," take care of the furnace and clean the windows "once a week." He is to use a vacuum sweeper on the carpet in corner room once a month.

Council Secures New Lease on Garbage Plant

City Council has closed with E. F. Hietel for a lease of another year on the site of the garbage plant at Snyderstown, with the privilege of renewal for four years additional.

Council Monday night instructed the street department to have its force make repairs to the furnace. The attic has been burned out. A new stack is necessary. This will be erected after it was understood.

Attempted Robbery Reported.
The police were notified at 4:30 o'clock this morning that thieves were attempting to enter the garage of C. Hietel on West Crawford avenue, just beyond Twelfth street, West Side. Patrolman Andrew Thomas answered the call but found no one. Nothing was disturbed.

COUNCIL FIXES 1922 TAX LEVY AT 16 MILLS

In connection with the approval of the budget for 1922, aggregating \$101,440, City Council Monday night fixed the tax levy for the year at 16 mills. This is an increase of a mill over 1921. The resolution adopted provides for the following:

General fund 10 mills
Improvement fund 3 mills
Sinking fund 3 mills
The extra assessment will be to provide for liquidation of the bond issue for the resurfacing of Crawford avenue.

Mrs. Bull Improving.
Mrs. Sarah Bull, well known West Side resident, who has been critically ill of pneumonia and complications at her rooms, 1399 West Crawford avenue, is slowly improving.

COMPROMISE ON PEST HOUSE BILL OFFERED COUNCIL

Trial of Suit in Court Delayed
to Give Opportunity for
Conference.

IS HELD UNREASONABLE

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company's bill of \$348,755 against the city for expense incurred and loss of business during the time the Y. M. C. A. building was used as a pest house during the smallpox outbreak here in July and August, 1920, was again submitted to City Council Monday night by W. F. Underwood, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., with a request that an effort be made on the part of council to get together with the railroad company. The company, Mr. Underwood indicated, is willing to make concessions. He was unable to say what they might be. The bill as originally submitted bore the date of August 9, 1920.

In presenting the case for further consideration, after it had been rejected by a former council, Mr. Underwood said that at his suggestion the trial of the suit which was held in court in Uniontown had been continued to the March term of court in order to avoid embarrassing the new administration and to give opportunity for settlement.

The chief item, in the expense of nearly \$1,000 for loss of business from July 1 to August 7 at the rate of \$100 a day, it is claimed, does not represent the actual loss. It being asserted that it was greater.

During the latest discussion, it followed the claim was made by Councilman Berg and Cypher that it was the state and not the city authorities that ordered the quarantining of the place. There was also an argument as to whether the victim of smallpox were stricken while inmates of the building or were brought there after onset of the disease. Secretary Underwood said he could establish that J. W. Browning and S. H. Griffith railroad men, were brought from their boarding places in Latrobe to the Y. M. C. A. After they had been taken to the pest house, they were quarantined.

Replying to the claim that it was the state which closed the building, Mr. Underwood said that the pest house should have at that time been moved to a pest house and the Y. M. C. A. building restored to the company without delay.

Councilman C. M. Stone said he had been told that if Council paid the bill it would be sure to be paid. He said that he felt the bill was exorbitant but that he stood ready, however, to settle it if there could be a compromise. He called attention to the fact that the railroad company turned the building over to the city as an emergency hospital and intended to keep it during the week it was in use for that purpose, making no charge whatever.

Councilman Wardley said he had been informed by good legal authority that the city will have to pay the pest house bill. "I have been told by a man who knows," he said, "he was in favor of an adjustment."

Councilman Cypher said the former council had received legal advice that the city could not be required to pay.

Mayor Mitchell expressed the view that Council was dealing fairly with the railroad company but that it must first get the advice of its solicitors on the method of procedure.

Secretary Underwood made the statement today that he had been told while in the Baltimore & Ohio office in Baltimore that the railroad company expended \$75,000 here during the influenza epidemic.

During the discussion of the bill Secretary Underwood indicated that Health Officer George Hietel had tipped off a nurse that he was to be arrested for larceny of articles from the Y. M. C. A. Hietel emphatically denied this. The man got away with goods valued at \$250. The secretary said, including \$50 that belonged to him personally. Later he telephoned to him personally. Later he telephoned to him personally. Later he telephoned to him personally.

Supreme Court to Hear Vigliotti Case Week of March 13

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The question of whether the state laws of Pennsylvania prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquor without license was repealed by the national prohibition amendment of the Volstead Act will be determined by the Supreme Court in a case brought against the state by Anthony Vigliotti, on an appeal from the court of appeals county, which the court has advanced for argument on March 13.

In moving to have the appeal advanced, the state declared that a decision was important because of the number of cases in the state in which sentences have been suspended pending final determination.

Smithfield Teacher Ill.
H. C. Dils, Smithfield teacher, is housed with grip.

"Enormous" Earthquake Registered

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—An earthquake of greatest intensity, probably 2.50 to 2.60 miles south of Washington, was registered early today on the Georgetown observatory seismograph. The quake began about 8:25 and 10 minutes later the tremors had become so pronounced as to throw the needle on the machine.

The quake also was registered on the seismograph of the Weather Bureau. Officials described it as "moderate."

Ray Francis Torndorf, director of the Georgetown observatory and one of the foremost earthquake authorities of the world, said the quake was "enormous."

Fort machines were still registering the quake at 10 o'clock.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Earthquake shocks were felt today along the Pacific coast from San Francisco to the Canadian line. No damage was reported.

In San Francisco the oscillation was not and continued for several seconds. A pronounced shock was felt in Chicago. One at 5:29 o'clock. It was said and persons awakened reported feeling slight vibration.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Shocks in New York today were felt along the coast which today showed a slight vibration in various parts of the United States. In the West coast of South America, between the Panama Canal zone and Ecuador.

NORTH WALK OF BRIDGE CLOSED

Planks of Yough Structure
Rotted, Steel Support
Held Unsafe.

The north walk of the Yough bridge, which has been closed by the Public Service Commission, today was closed to traffic. The bridge, which carries the Yough river over the railroad tracks, was found to be unsafe. The planks of the bridge were found to be rotted and the steel support was found to be unsafe. The bridge was closed to traffic until the damage could be repaired.

Western Maryland Railroad Leases Shops at Elkins

BALTIMORE, Jan. 31.—Following similar action taken recently by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, the Western Maryland Railway today announced that it had contracted the operation of its Elkins and New River shops at Elkins, W. Va., and will lease the building to a contractor.

A reduced wage scale will be paid to the workers.

Officials of the railroad stated that the inauguration of the contract system at the shop is merely an economic move.

"Legion Follies" Will Set Standard for Future Years, Director J. R. Brown Asserts

"Light and the world laughs, with you and you weep alone" is an adage that applies more to theatrical activity than to any other phase of human endeavor, according to John R. Brown, who for the second time is directing the annual "Follies" to be presented by Milton L. Bishop Post of the American Legion.

"It is a firm conviction of mine," says Mr. Brown, "that people go to the theatre for one purpose only—and that is to lose themselves; to forget for a while, in a blaze of youth and glory and light, all the petty troubles and inconveniences and all that most of us are likely to have below. 'Tragedy and a melancholy may have its place in a modern French novel but in a play only laughter may have its place. 'When we want to work to pre-

pare the book for this year's production of the "Follies" the thought was over in our minds. No joke over two days was admitted within the gates, every song had to give evidence of an irresistible rhythm before it was even considered. And when we came to the selection of the cast we were quick to hang out the sign 'Only the Lighthearted Need Apply.'"

"The result is I feel confident in predicting that the coming effort will outstrip the one that has gone before and set a standard that future years will find hard to surpass. We shall give the coming generations something to talk of."

The Salesmen Theatre management has generously agreed to give the theatre over to the Legion for three days, February 12, 13, 14, on which dates Mr. Brown's latest effort is to be presented. Every Connellsville man who is a sworn enemy of gloom is urged to set aside one or the other of these three dates for the special benefit of his funny bone. It is possible that the date will not prove to be enough (there are billions of ungrateful chumps in the chorus). In any case all may come as often as they please and a ways to a good show is always welcome.

Tickets will go on general sale Wednesday. They may be obtained from Legion men and members of the cast. Prices will be \$1.50, 50c and 25c and first three rows of balcony and first three rows of balcony and first three rows of balcony.

Miss Donella Schoonover, Local Nurse, Only Woman Rescue Worker In Ruins of Washington Theatre

To Miss Donella Schoonover, a single, 24-year-old nurse, who was in the ruins of the Washington theatre, a professional nurse in Washington, belongs the distinction of being the only woman engaged in rescue work in the ruins of the Knickerbocker Theatre following the collapse of the roof Saturday evening, causing the death of nearly 100 persons. Along with physicians admitted to the building, Miss Schoonover did all that was in her power to alleviate the suffering of the injured. At the time of the disaster, Miss Schoonover was engaged in her calling at the home of Dr. Gannon, a square of the first physicians to respond to the call for aid and he took Miss Schoonover with him. The fact that she was a nurse got her by the cordon of police that had been thrown about the building.

Referring to her father, Miss Schoonover declared that he is in battle in France and could have been no worse than that presented in the interior of the theatre, she said. "It was a 'pitiful sight,' she said. She described the fallen roof which buried the patrons of the theatre as a 'mountain of debris.' Here and there, she said, a hand protruded. Here and there a man told of the presence of those who had been buried beneath the tons of steel and concrete. It looked like an endless task, the rescue of the injured and the removal of the dead, she said. All that she could do was to administer hypodermic injections to relieve suffering of the mangled and broken.

Miss Schoonover remained in the building until the military, fearing that the walls were about to collapse, ordered everybody from the interior. "I was willing to stay and do my bit," she said, adding that she like the rest, was forced to leave.

POPLAR GROVE HOME DESTROYED

Members of Family of August
Walk Save Nothing but
Night Clothes.

The residence of August Walk at Poplar Grove was burned to the ground last night, with all its contents. The fire started shortly before 10:30 o'clock while the entire family was asleep. No household goods in any way escaped, excepting the nightclothes worn by the sleeping people who were saved.

The Walk family had occupied the home for about 15 years. The house was a frame one and was located well up on a hill. Many persons were attracted to the fire, the flames of which could be seen for a long distance.

Mr. Walk was the first member of the family to awaken. The smoke choked him and when he arose he found that already considerable damage had been done. He tried to get out of the house and with his wife and four children groped his way through the smoke to safety. Mr. Walk believes his whole family would have perished had he not been so fortunate.

How the fire started is a mystery. It is believed that a light in the kitchen caused the fire. The family's possessions were a total loss. The family stated that the flames spread rapidly and the fire quickly burned. Only the chimney remained standing in the ruins today.

Neighbors took in the members of the neighborhood family and sheltered them from the cold. The home was partially covered by insurance amounting to \$1,800. Mr. Walk could not estimate the loss. In addition to all his household goods he lost much more having recently completed his butchery.

Miss L. A. Walk, a daughter, and a younger sister were in Connellsville at the home of relatives during the evening. They went home on the 10:30 o'clock street car and did not learn of the loss until they alighted at Poplar Grove.

Not a Candidate.
George E. Martin of Dunbar states that the report that he is a candidate for appointment as postmaster is incorrect. He did not take the Civil Service examination held on January 11.

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NEW NEWCOMER GIVEN SIX MONTHS IN WORKHOUSE

Sentence Imposed by Judge
Reppert on One of Three
Indictments.

ALSO IS FINED \$300

Former Jail Warden Had Pleaded
Guilty to Charges of Attempting to
Bribe Jurors in Interest of Frank
C. Monahan, Uniontown Liquor Man

E. Newton Newcomer, former Fayette county jail warden and well-known farmer of Redstone township, was sentenced this morning in Uniontown by Judge E. H. Reppert to serve six months in the Allegheny County Workhouse and to pay a fine of \$300 after pleading guilty several weeks ago to charges of embezzlement and bribery in connection with an effort to influence prospective jurors in the case of Frank C. Monahan of Uniontown who was charged with violation of the liquor laws.

Sentence was pronounced on one indictment, two others being held over. Imposition of sentence had been twice deferred for periods of 30 days in order to permit Newcomer time for the settlement of the estate of his father.

Newcomer was taken at once to jail and will be removed to the workhouse tomorrow.

It was alleged that Newcomer had offered three jurors \$100 each to use their influence for the acquittal of Monahan.

Monahan was convicted. His case, along with others, has been appealed.

Traffic Ordinance Held Over; Further Amendment Planned

Just when city council was about ready to vote Monday night on the new traffic ordinance drawn up by the Yough Valley Automobile Club an omission was discovered by Mayor Mitchell and action was postponed until the next meeting. The omission referred to backing of cars from alleys onto street in the business district for the purpose of turning.

The mayor said he did it himself and declared it to be an unsafe practice and one that should be prohibited. An amendment will be prepared for the next meeting.

Previously council had inserted an amendment to reduce the area within which parking is prohibited from within 50 feet to within 25 feet of street and allow intersections with the exception of Brimstone Corner where the 50-foot rule will be fixed.

No other changes were made in the bill, council declining to recede from the stand that cars should not be parked in Crawford avenue between Courthouse place and Pittsburg street.

Ore Dock Fire Causes Loss of Two Millions

SUPERIOR, Wis., Jan. 31.—A spectacular fire at the Great Northern ore dock No. 2 at Alouca, a suburb, which for a time threatened other docks, was brought under control today through combined efforts of Superior firemen and a crew from Duluth. The loss may reach \$2,000,000.

The fire started last night from an unknown cause. The dock was of wooden construction and burned rapidly. So intense was the heat that ice in Lake Superior was melted for a considerable distance about the structure.

Dead in Theatre Disaster Reduced To 95 by Re-Check

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Ninety-seven persons, according to a final official list, issued today, lost their lives in the collapse Saturday night of the Knickerbocker Theatre.

Of the total injured 62 remained in hospitals. Half a dozen are in a critical condition. E. H. Shaughnessy, second assistant postmaster general, was said to be showing improvement.

Many Liquor Permits Revoked.
PITTSBURGH, Jan. 31.—John E. Hietel, federal prohibition agent, announced today that 25 liquor permits for retail druggists and manufacturers had been revoked in the Pittsburgh district because of "illegal disposition of liquor."

Kenyon Will Accept.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Senator Kenyon of Iowa announced today he would accept the nomination as federal judge for the Eighth Circuit, tendered to him by President Harding and sent to the Senate.

Coal Plant in Operation.
ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 31.—The J. W. Hyatt Coal Company has resumed shipping of coal. The output is two cars a day.

The Sporting World

Pitcairn Murdocks Find Casey Team Easy Prey; Local Club Is Unable to Keep Up Early Pace

Visitors Exhibit Real Scoring Combination; Result, 64-39.

SNYDERS PLAY TOMORROW

The Pitcairn Murdocks showed a number of basketball fans last evening what a real scoring machine looks like when it gets in action and defeated the Casey Club, by the score of 64-39. The Casey team started the game with a rush, securing two field goals to none for the Murdocks, and it began to look as if the Knights were going to do even more than hold their own. This feeling soon passed away, when Ramsey, the big tall center for the visitors played to score. Every man on the Murdocks team scored more than four field goals, and the highest number was made by Brickley, who played guard, he getting a total of eight. Pritchard and Henry played well for the Casey, Pritchard getting five field goals and Henry three.

The line-up: Murdocks—64. Casey—39. Gentile—F. Pritchard—W. Ramsey—C. White—Erickley—G. Danner—C. Cross—G. Buttermore—F. Field goals—Brickley 8, Ramsey 5, Wallace 6, Gentile 5, Cross 4, Pritchard 5, early 8, White 1. Foul goals—Wallace, 8 out of 11; Henry, 12 out of 18.

Power House and Car Barns Win at "Ducks"

Store Room lost two out of three to Power House last night in the Temple arena. After starting off in fine shape and capturing the first contest, the visiting aggregation was unable to keep going.

The score: STORE ROOM. Richey 83 64 129-276. Lackey 88 81 92-261. Higbee 107 93 89-239. Miller 123 95 116-348.

Totals 416 332 425 1,474. POWER HOUSE. Renocks 109 83 106-308. Plesher 82 87 112-281. DeBolt 118 79 124-321. Moorman 93 80 133-306.

Totals 402 339 475 1,216. HIGH SCORES. Individual, one game, Miller, 138. Team, one game, Power House, 475. Team, three games, Power House, 1,216.

In the second match the Car Barns took three straight from the Garage quintet. The winners always had a good margin.

The score: CAR BARN. Haselrode 125 134 98-357. Goglin 100 110 127-337. Guard 102 99 88-289. Porterfield 76 88 76-240. Edge 101 118 93-312. Wills 108 98 204-310.

Totals 504 569 502 1,575. GARAGE. Wetzel 135 80 109-324. Lind 83 125 97-312. Collins 79 100 85-264. Davis 77 67 63-207. Miles 109 90 11-310.

Totals 486 482 465 1,413. HIGH SCORES. Individual, one game, Haselrode, 134. Individual, three games, Haselrode, 357.

Team, one game, Car Barns, 569. Team, three games, Car Barns, 1,575.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. W. L. Pct. Laboratory 13 2 867. Connelville Office 9 3 750. Power House 6 6 500. Car Barns 7 8 459. Garage 5 10 333. Light & Power 4 8 333. Store Room 4 11 263.

MIDGETS AND SOUTH SIDE WINNERS AT "Y"

The Midgets defeated the North End team at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon by a score of 27-25. Gardner scored 10 field goals for his team and placed the game on ice. Carelli starred for the North Enders, caging eight.

In the second game of the afternoon the South Side quintet walloped the West Side, 26-20.

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"This is the opportunity of the woman who is clever enough to dress with her brains instead of with her purse alone. If a woman of average intelligence gives her thought to the right garment for the right occasion and casts a sharp glance at the present mode she may dress well at comparatively small outlay."

The speaker was busily fashioning an odd little bag of velvet. She was wearing a knitted sport dress, high of neck and long of sleeve, in a delicate lavender.

"I knitted this dress. You see, I practice as well as preach," she helpfully produced the simplest of work bags and exhibited a black lace stocking she has just finished.

"Here's a stocking I made to match a black lace evening gown. Simply rip up an old stocking for a pattern and cut from a yard of all-over lace, use silk jersey for sole, heel and toe, whip the seam carefully and finish the top with the bun from a discarded pair of stockings." The directions were simple and the product a telling tribute to the skill of the maker.

"And here's a sport dress any girl may have now that tweed-like fabrics and economy are in vogue. This design will be brought out in the spring by a manufacturer in several colors, I did it this way: The one-piece skirt is in brown burlap; the skirt-hem is cut and fringed. The skirt is attached to a darted bodice with shoulder straps and is worn with a sweater. A soft-crowned hat with a brim of burlap is fringed to match the skirt."

Even the shoes were her own design, black, patent leather, high lace boots with sides of dull black satin. Of course there was reason. "In a great friend of the high lace boot with a low heel and moderate sole for golfing, general walking in fact, for all out-of-door sports. Low shoes ruin the line of the ankle, so the sensible woman will choose the high shoe, even if it is a bit inconvenient" as to feeling, in order to present a trim silhouette and ankle in the drawing room."

In the matter of home furnishings she was enthusiastic. She declared she "dressed up" her own home in bleached muslin dyed in shades from brown to gold, used black lace shades, applied with a medallion of color cut from a design in cretonne in a room furnished with old-fashioned hair cloth furniture.

"The effect is artistic and restful, the browns and golds cheer up the bareheaded furniture in a most wonderful way, the tones of the decorations blend the scheme together. The expense was small, but the investment of time and thought repaid me, as it does any woman who loves her home."

THE HOOP-SKIRT FOR SPRING. It will be a hard game at Braddock Friday evening but it is safe to say the team won't make 60 points on the Cokers again. At present, with some of the other standings, unknown the Cokers are either tied for second or third place in the league.

FIREMEN AND RAILROAD CLERKS PLAY TO TIE. In the preliminary game at the parochial school hall last night the Connelville Firemen and Railroad Clerks did up in a hard fought game. The final score was 25-25 and the tie was not played off in order to allow the big game to go on. The Clerks are leading the city league but the two teams seemed evenly matched last night. Both foul shooters were going well and kept the game close throughout.

The line-up: Firemen—25. B. & O.—25. Humes—F. Miller. Fisher—D. Spill. Gallagher—C. Butler. Cropp—G. Hannigan. Giffen—G. Robinson. Substitutions—Panzella for Snell. Snell for Butler. Whitel for Cropp. White for Gallagher.

Field goals—Humes 3, Gallagher 3, Miller 2, Snell 1.

Foul goals—Hannigan, 16 out of 20; Humes, 14 out of 15.

"Put our boys against any team in their class and they can't be beat," said an old follower of the indoor sport the other day. He has caught the school spirit and is one of the most enthusiastic supporters the team ever had.

J. E. Struble, another "old-timer," was in evidence again last Saturday night.

Coyne, a forward on the South Hills High team, which played here Saturday night was a cousin of Lowmyer, who jumped center for the locals.

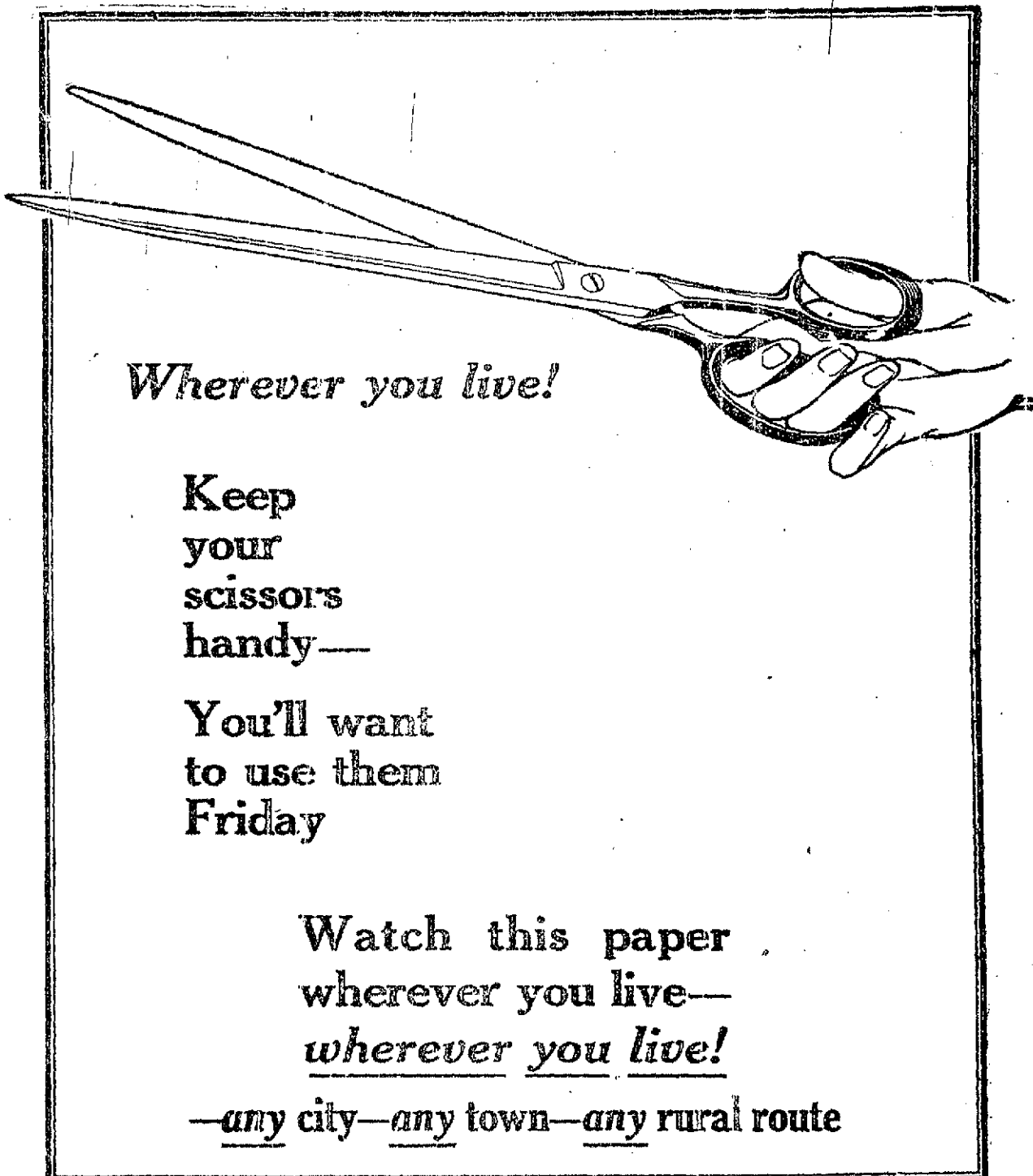
The Monarch Club of Uniontown would like to arrange a game with any lightweight team of this city, the game to be played here. Teams desiring games call 68-W Bell, Uniontown, or write Donald Cook, 110 Mill street.

Trotter has sent a communication to this office denouncing the action of the Captain Glass Company team in not showing up at the Trotter hall Saturday night for the game scheduled then. The Trotter outfit claims it was not even notified the team would not be present and has severed relations with the glass concern.

The Connelville Firemen are getting in a lot of "thrillers" these days, he men are finding there is just as much excitement on a basketball floor as at a fire.

This week might be termed the hardest on the Connelville High School basketball schedule. On Friday evening the team goes to Braddock to play the leaders of Section 2, W. P. I. A. League, of which the locals are members. Then on Saturday evening the outfit comes home again to play Allegheny High, leaders of the city league in Pittsburg.

It can't be said Connelville isn't playing the top notchers.



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FASHION FRILLS

Skirt manufacturers drop a hint to the smart woman in announcing that the box-plaited designs are the best for a stout figure, if the skirt has a dark lining.

Circular earrings, usually a circle of jet or ebony within a larger circle, and long pendants are worn by the best-dressed women. Some women wear very large ones, almost cannibalistic in effect.

Gay color has its greatest opportunity in evening gowns for young girls. The empire period has given the inspiration for the youthful evening dresses, making women look like venerated ancestors. The skirts are large, full with hips extended.

Black remains supreme in the fashion of Paris. Despite a severe onslaught by advocates of color, the supreme council of style has been forced to retain the conventional black as the dominant motif of winter modes and there is every indication that colors, except in minor trimming effect, will not be able to challenge black until late spring.

Dressmakers quickly gathered together before winter models were given to the world and fervently agreed that colors—and dressmakers—should have a chance. One black gown, carefully selected, takes the place of two or three dresses of different colors. But the French women who are indicators of the newest developments in style said a very emphatic "No." The demand was for black and the big dressmakers bowed to the inevitable. Crepe, moccasin, velvet and perline are the most popular materials.

The corset makers have been slightly more successful in their efforts to bring the corset back into its own. Dressmakers are insisting that corsets are now necessary to give the "uncorseted look." This propaganda has succeeded in some instances, but most French women, having fought and won their freedom, are loath in the language of a famous French actress, "to fall their bodies again."

VALENCIENNES LACE IS USED

Embellishment Affords Splendid Decoration for the Dark Silk or Satin Frock.

Valenciennes lace enjoys considerable of a vogue for the decoration of dark silk or satin frocks. A black forward gown showed a large collar and deep cuffs composed of alternate rows of valenciennes lace and imitations. Another new blouse is fashioned from velvet and chiffon, trimmed with creamy white valenciennes lace. The lower part of the sleeves is trimmed with the valenciennes, the lower edge of the lace being gathered on a black velvet ribbon, which snugly encircles the wrist and is tied in loops and long ends. Valenciennes forms the large collar and gleile.

"Moll Outpursue," Notorious Thief. Mary Frith, sometimes called "Moll Outpursue," a notorious thief in the time of Charles I (1625-1649), died of dropsy at the age of seventy-four. She possessed great physical strength, and frequently assumed men's attire. Having on one occasion held up Lord Fairfax on Housley Heath, she was captured and sent to Newgate, but escaped by means of bribery.

Soisson Theatre Today and Tomorrow

What wants a sensational, exhilarating thrill is going to see



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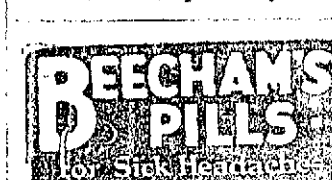
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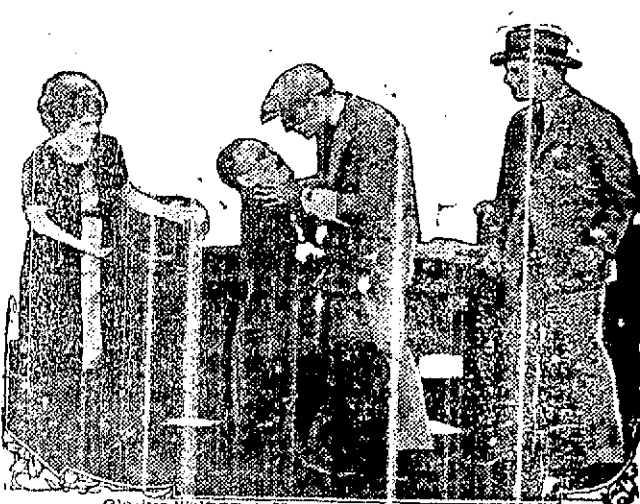
BEECHAM'S PILLS for Sick Headache

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CHILDREN'S DRESSES. "What a pretty frock!" says Clothilda, looking in rapture at the yellow organdy frock of daintiness Flora wears. Large ruffles of net make collar and what sleeves there are. Bands of net, also, alternate with the strands in the dress. Blue frock.

Paramount Theatre TODAY



GLADYS WALTON in "Playing With Fire" Also a Good Comedy Admission 10c and 20c, including Tax. WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari

NAVY OFFICERS GO TO COLLEGE

Picked Group Enter Classes in
Engineering School.

STUDY ADVANCED SUBJECTS

United States, Japanese and Argentine Navies Represented in Columbia University Classes—Those From Annapolis Have All Seen War Service—To Be Fitted to Meet Rapidly Expanding Problems of Naval Operation.

Officers from the United States, Japanese and Argentine navies form a picked group of engineers who are pursuing advanced training in the engineering schools of Columbia university in New York. This is a development of the American policy of schooling a certain percentage of naval officers in advanced engineering to fit them to meet the rapidly expanding problems of naval construction and operation.

To co-operate with the university and the navy, Columbia announces that a group of experts from a big electric and manufacturing company have been engaged as special lecturers on the steam turbine. These experts will work under Harry L. Parr, associate professor of mechanical engineering. Enlisting the aid of outside corporations is now regarded as a fixed part of Columbia's engineering program.

"To secure a properly authoritative presentation of the highly technical subject of steam turbines," said Dean George B. Pegg, referring to the spring session, "it has been necessary for the department of mechanical engineering to seek outside assistance. There is convincing evidence of the soundness of the principle of part-time service for professional experts teaching advanced students."

Argentine Represented.
The Argentine navy is represented at Columbia this year for the first time. Fourteen United States navy officers, all lieutenants, are among the students. Officers studying in what is called the gas engine group will be equipped with designing and operating submarines, airplanes and small auxiliary vessels. Those studying in the steam engine group will learn the operation of steam plants on large vessels such as superdreadnaughts. Students in electrical designing study the designing and plant use of all the auxiliary electrical apparatus on shipboard, such as lighting, raising the anchor and other phases of the uses of the 300 electrical motors on modern battleships.

A new group in electrical propulsion will study the machinery of boats like the California just put into commission which are propelled by electrical machinery.

Commander J. O. Fisher is in charge of the men at Columbia as executive officer of the post graduate school of the navy, to which the students are officially attached. The headquarters of this school are at Annapolis, where Commander Fisher has a staff of officers and instructors and a large group of "student officers" undergoing various courses of special training, including another group preparing to come to Columbia next year.

Five Years' Service First.
The naval officers, said Walter L. Schlichter, professor of electrical engineering, will receive the degrees of master of science after completing a year's study at Columbia. When they are selected for a course of training as professional engineers they enter upon a year's course of preparatory studies at Annapolis and are then sent to Columbia. They do not take up this course until they have seen about five years of service subsequent to graduation from the naval academy. The Annapolis group now studying at Columbia have all seen war service. Their actual student period is the same as that required of students in the Columbia engineering schools, to whom the engineering degrees are given at the end of six years, three of which are devoted to pre-engineering work in Columbia or some other college.

One of the group of naval officers at Columbia, Lieutenant Nagao Higuchi, is a non-matriculated student taking graduate work in electrical engineering. Lieut. A. Kuz of the Argentine navy is taking work in electrical design. He comes to Columbia through arrangements made between the United States and Argentine governments. At Columbia it was said that action of the disarmament conference was not expected to alter the navy's plans for graduate instruction of officers.

CAUGHT "TAGGED" FISH

It Was the Second Taken in Mississippi River.

A "tagged" fish, the second taken this season of those tagged and released by the government at Lake City last September, has been caught traveling upstream. The government hatcheries in an effort to learn the ways of the fish, tagged a number of them with small metal number tags.

A tagged white bass was caught 300 miles down stream from the Lake City lot.

Al Sundry of Prescott, Minn., made the second catch 300 feet below the Prescott dam. It was a sand-pike 12 1/2 inches long.

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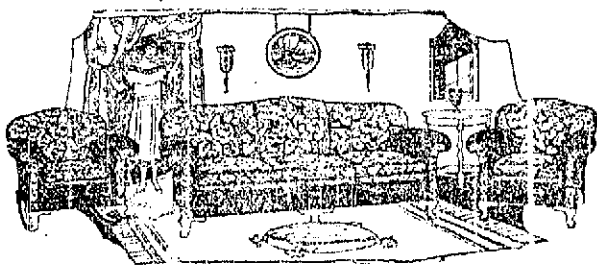


Our Great February Sale

Starts With a Bang Tomorrow!

The doors of our store open upon the most sensational February Sale in our history! Right through the entire year of 1931 we have been steadily buying and selling merchandise at the declining price levels. In fact our regular prices have been the lowest possible to quote on Furniture of good quality. Now—without restrictions you may have your choice of our vast and enormous stocks of high grade Furniture at these savings. A Bonafide reduction that brings Furniture prices down to the lowest point in years! It will pay you to be here bright and early tomorrow morning!

Again We Lead the Way to Lower Prices



Every Living Room Suite Included

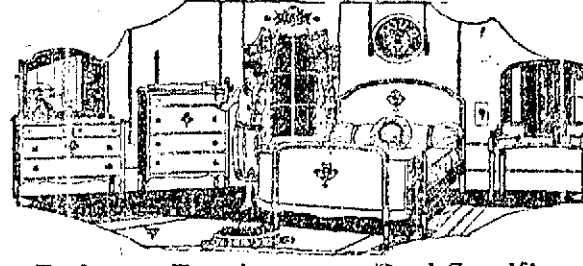
Never before in years has it been possible to buy fine grade, luxuriously made, upholstered living room furniture at such a startling saving! Included in our vast display at this February Sale are splendid three-piece suites upholstered in tapestry, velvet combinations. The suite pictured above with loose cushions, spring arms, and backs, and spring edge construction, upholstered in tapestry, is a typical example of the extraordinary values in the sale.

Its Price Complete Is Only - - - \$185.00



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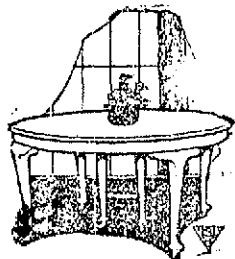
Comparison is the only sure test of a sale. This great money-saving event will stand this test. Prices that were already the lowest are now again reduced from 25 to 45% less.



Bedroom Furniture at a Real Sacrifice

Practically every bedroom suite on our sales floors has been purchased in the last four months at the low water mark that was reached during the latter part of 1931. Consequently when we say that you can come in and buy any bedroom suite at exactly 25% less than its regular price, you are getting something! Included are all the very latest period styles and patterns in mahogany, American Walnut, Ivory enamel and other popular finishes. The beautiful four-piece bedroom suite pictured above is a typical example at its low price of

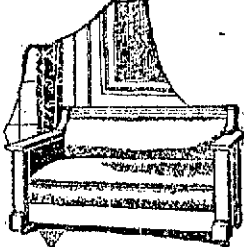
As Low as - - - \$195.00



All Odd Dining Tables

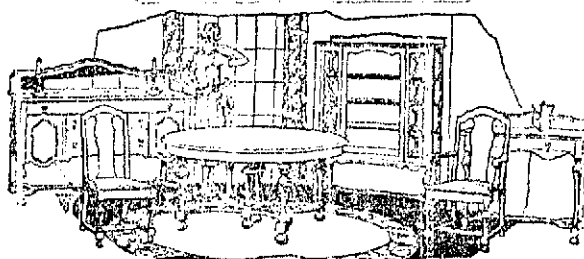
A feature special for the first day of our February Sale! Magnificent dining room tables in the latest Queen Anne period designs and Colonial designs in Golden Oak finishes at a sensational sacrifice. They have 48 inch, and 54 inch tops, extend to 6 feet, and are priced at less than the whole-sale cost of six months ago! Be early!

In the February Sale at - - - \$295.00



Buy Your Duofold at the Lowest
Price in Many a Year

No other article of furniture you place in your home will be a better investment than a Duofold. You may have your choice now of all models in our large and varied stock at exactly 25% less than the regular prices. The duofold pictured is finished in Golden Oak and is upholstered in brown or black Imitation Leather. A single motion converts it into a full-size bed and its February Sale Price only \$49.50



Compare This Dining Room Suite

Compare this astounding value! A complete dining room suite at less than you would ordinarily expect to pay for a few pieces. Includes a Buffet, China Closet, an Extension Table, and Six Chairs to match. The suite is substantially made and one of the most extraordinary dining room values we have offered in many a day. It is especially priced

In the February Sale at - - - \$295.00

Out of Town Customers

What a wonderful opportunity this great February Sale holds for customers out of town. We will crate, pack and pay the freight in any shipment to a distance of 35 miles. Automobile delivery to all suburban points at no extra cost. Come tomorrow and benefit by this great February opportunity to buy high grade furniture at these savings.

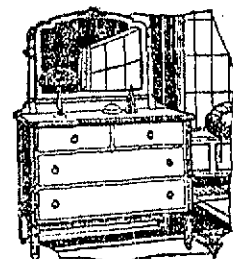
Convenient Credit Terms

The same easy credit terms as usual are in effect during our Great February Sale. If you have an account here, simply have us charge your purchase to your account with a small deposit. And if you do not have one, let us open an account with you tomorrow! No red tape, no embarrassment.



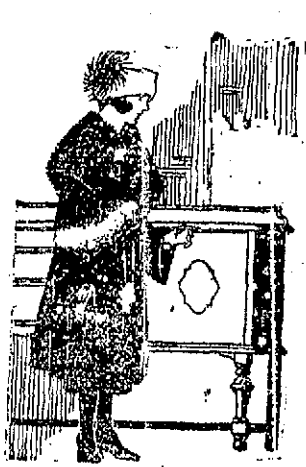
Think of Big Brass Bedsteads at
\$17.95

For the first time in many years we can offer massive big brass beds at such a low figure!



Every Odd Dresser at 25%
Discount.

Now is surely the time to buy that odd dresser you have so long been planning on having in your bedroom or placed in your guest chamber. Every odd dresser including the very latest period, or Colonial style now goes on sale at exactly 25% off its former low price. You will find our stock so large and varied you will have no trouble whatever in matching the exact type of bedroom furniture you now own. Prices on these remarkable dressers start as low as \$14.75



All Rugs at Great Reductions

This includes floor coverings of all kinds—the very latest patterns and designs in such rugs as Axminsters, Body Brussels, Velvets, Tapestries, Wiltons, etc. Your unrestricted choice of any rug in the house during our February Sale.



Overstuffed Rockers at Tremendous Savings

We have more than 10 different types of overstuffed rockers with spring seats, spring back, big luxurious rockers that you can buy now at exactly 25% discount. Only one or two of each kind, so be early. If you want to get first choice of these remarkable rockers, Price starts as low as \$16.50



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Herewith I submit a statement of the fiscal affairs of Fayette County, Pennsylvania, for the year beginning January 1, 1921, and ending January 1, 1922, as directed by an Act of Assembly, approved the 27th day of June, A. D., 1895.

EARL HUSTON,
County Controller

		TAX LEVY FOR THE YEAR 1921.					
	County	Board	Pool	S. Bond	State	Total	
Bellevue Boro.	8,123.55	2,993.32	5,680.95	1,572.02	2,700.26	6,975.05	
Brownsville Boro.	2,891.00	2,396.04	699.01	1,737.02	2,026.71	13,014.83	
Brownsville Twp.	1,718.88	774.00	180.77	872.25		3,245.90	
Bucklin Twp.	3,294.43	1,720.86	482.75	1,288.14	398.96	6,784.14	
Canfieldville Twp.	2,222.32	1,210.62	2,402.36	2,000.00	4,948.29	13,855.41	
Canfieldville Twp.	2,245.40	1,443.40	265.61	1,081.80	327.49	4,863.61	
Dayton Boro.	1,613.54	719.04	170.26	327.78	1,439.76	4,160.34	
Dunkirk Boro.	2,123.95	945.25	1,284.14	707.00	2,082.15	6,242.49	
Dunkirk Boro.	22,468.81	13,095.81	3,274.39	3,322.54	43.67	66,101.33	
Everton Boro.	1,466.19	651.64	122.27	488.73	120.61	2,849.44	
Payette City Boro.	3,186.55	1,483.70	200.55	812.85	111.65	5,605.70	
Payetteville Boro.	2,556.00	1,100.00	2,300.36	1,000.00	46.73	6,963.15	
Payetteville Boro.	10,989.41	1,174.18	1,231.00	5,663.12	784.35	21,642.11	
Payetteville Twp.	26,068.81	13,076.33	3,844.79	8,674.73	1,117.54	49,582.20	
German Twp.	46,104.33	11,074.62	4,906.55	1,755.59	46,723.13	110,815.12	
German Twp.	1,246.00	922.24	1,000.00	14.18	150.18	3,222.50	
Jefferson Twp.	24,676.85	10,256.54	2,006.11	1,819.90	1,740.30	45,886.71	
Lower Lyons Twp.	2,897.00	1,138.83	239.58	890.10	107.10	4,272.51	
Lower Lyons Twp.	2,225.44	2,225.44	6,203.44	1,000.00	119,292.83	128,946.11	
Loraine Twp.	2,316.09	1,261.52	213.86	525.71	1,587.76	5,675.94	
Marquette Boro.	155.01	68.80	17.22	51.67	121.92	414.74	
Marquette Boro.	14,788.16	4,837.44	1,044.23	4,200.25	764.48	25,674.47	
Marquette Boro.	38,402.74	10,401.43	2,300.36	1,000.00	1,000.00	53,104.53	
Marquette Boro.	11,507.08	6,714.13	1,278.27	8,855.81	673.04	28,948.33	
Marquette Boro.	47,439	21,074	52.71	188.13	155.58	1,552.00	
Marquette Boro.	12,655.39	1,015.88	218.16	3,895.51	1,000.00	18,574.84	
Marquette Boro.	2,488.12	1,105.78	276.20	139.43	435.77	4,305.30	
Marquette Twp.	45,667.33	30,655.85	5,067.36	15,201.55	880.33	86,527.43	
Marquette Twp.	34,134.22	10,534.44	228.36	712.04	438.64	45,647.66	
Marquette Twp.	1,427.20	1,001.48	1,001.48	800.21	2,000.00	4,229.37	
Marquette Twp.	7,201.32	3,925.76	865.47	2,867.00	761.50	15,298.22	
Marquette Twp.	2,684.85	926.60	284.46	691.35	309.24	4,296.50	
Marquette Twp.	19,166.61	1,815.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	23,981.61	
Marquette Twp.	3,421.98	805.68	302.74	697.44	180.66	5,202.46	
Marquette Twp.	93,632.69	32,150.60	1,070.40	4,211.30	788.33	129,853.32	
Marquette Twp.	1,700.47	777.80	124.42	1,007.73	147.54	3,649.23	
Marquette Twp.	38,744.87	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	41,744.87	
Marquette Twp.	3,093.43	1,870.44	144.51	1,007.73	203.77	6,219.81	
Marquette Twp.	1,039.18	181.54	115.55	286.48	102.34	1,558.18	
Marquette Twp.	2,225.44	2,225.44	6,203.44	1,000.00	119,292.83	128,946.11	
Total	\$70,635.47	\$29,163.94	\$4,239.70	\$14,730.41	\$4,414.18	\$148,472.88	

		TAX MILLAGE FOR THE YEAR 1921.					
	County Tax	Special Road Tax	Pool	1-1-1 Mills	1-1-1 Mills		
Bellevue Boro.	8,123.55						
Brownsville Boro.	2,891.00						
Brownsville Twp.	1,718.88						
Bucklin Twp.	3,294.43						
Canfieldville Twp.	2,222.32						
Canfieldville Twp.	2,245.40						
Dayton Boro.	1,613.54						
Dunkirk Boro.	2,123.95						
Dunkirk Boro.	22,468.81						
Everton Boro.	1,466.19						
Payette City Boro.	3,186.55						
Payetteville Boro.	2,556.00						
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Payetteville Twp.	26,068.81						
German Twp.	46,104.33						
German Twp.	1,246.00						
Jefferson Twp.	24,676.85						
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		RECAPITULATION OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.		
		Receipts	Disbursements	
Con. 1922, German Twp.	8,004.71			
Construction of State Road No. 200, 1921				
County Tax	100,455.50			\$ 227,202.00
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RESOURCES.			
Balance in Treasury, January 2, 1922			\$ 110,025.64
Delinquent Taxes for 1919, subject to exonerations, &c.			237.44
Delinquent Taxes for 1921, subject to exonerations, &c.			803.25
Delinquent Taxes for 1912, subject to exonerations, &c.			10,976.71
Delinquent Taxes for 1914, subject to exonerations, &c.			17,185.44
Delinquent Taxes for 1916, subject to exonerations, &c.			21,668.51
Delinquent Taxes for 1918, subject to exonerations, &c.			16,320.70
Delinquent Taxes for 1920, subject to exonerations, &c.			9,042.13
Delinquent Taxes for 1921, subject to exonerations, &c.			16,276.42
Delinquent Taxes for 1922, subject to exonerations, &c.			19,402.62
Delinquent Taxes for 1923, subject to exonerations, &c.			14,242.87
Delinquent Taxes for 1924, subject to exonerations, &c.			16,770.85
Delinquent Taxes for 1925, subject to exonerations, &c.			19,347.54
Due from State of Pennsylvania, amount Bounty Claims paid during 1912 and 1913			1,386.75
Court House and Grounds (Estimated)			400,000.00
Court House Furniture, Fixtures, &c. (Estimated)			200.00
COUNTY HOME PAIDM, 132 Acres			
County Home and grounds including Cont.	\$10,000.00		
Furniture, Fixtures, &c.	23,500.00		
Farm Implements, &c.	2,072.50		
Live Stock	5,145.00		
Tools	1,000.00		
Hay, Grain, &c.	3,000.75		
Farm Produce	2,000.00		
Meat, Supplies, Feeding, &c.	3,000.00		
Account receivable (Paid)	5,536.59		
Automobile and Truck	2,000.00		
			\$ 56,962.54
Tuberculosis Hospital Building			15,000.00
Furniture, Fixtures, &c.			3,000.00
County Morgue Building			500.00
County Machinery Building			2,000.00
County Prison and Grounds (Estimated)			15,000.00
Notes to secure payment of Court Costs			7,227.46
Account receivable, &c.			2,745.50
Court, Fees, etc. from Fee Offices, cases to be settled and adjusted, (Estimated)			2,000.00
Road Machinery, Rollers, &c.			5,000.00
Road Tools, Steel Forms, &c.			1,500.00
Two County Automobiles			2,500.00
Private County's share State Tax on sale of Gasoline, (Estimated)			20,000.00
Private County's share State Tax on Road contract, (Estimated)			40,000.00
Sinking Fund Balance			224,500.00
			\$ 1,969,426.31
LIABILITIES			
Outstanding Temporary Loans	\$318,000.00		
Accounts payable, &c.	177,716.97		
Outstanding Road Bonds, series, 1916	400,000.00		
Outstanding Road Bonds, series, 1917	5,000.00		
Outstanding Road Bonds, series, 1918	24,000.00		
Outstanding Road Bonds, series, 1919	600,000.00		
Accrued Interest and State Tax on Road Bonds	9,462.78		
Outstanding County Home Orders for 1921	2,216.64		
Outstanding County Warrants for 1921	696.12	\$ 1,569,291.67	
Resources in excess over Liabilities			\$ 341,235.77
STATEMENT OF EARNINGS OF THE SEVERAL FEE OFFICES FOR YEAR 1921			
RECORDERS OFFICE			
	Total Receipts	Deficit	Credit
Fees paid by Litigants	\$12,914.50		
Fees paid by County	194.00	\$13,110.50	
Amount of Payrolls, &c.		14,441.50	
Deficit for 1921		\$ 1,555.00	
Credit for 1920	978.25		
Less Deficit awarded	1,234.00		\$ 354.75
REGISTERS OFFICE			
Fees paid by Litigants	\$ 3,892.45	\$ 8,062.45	
Amount of Pay Roll, &c.		8,060.00	
Credit for 1921		\$ 912.45	
Credit for 1920		444.40	\$ 1,356.85
PROTHONOTARYS OFFICE			
Fees paid by Litigants	\$ 3,568.65	\$15,244.32	
Fees paid by County		11,135.00	
Amount of Payroll, &c.		3,579.92	
Credit for 1921		4,637.45	\$ 1,237.53
Credit for 1920			
CLERK OF COURTS OFFICE			
Fees paid by Litigants	\$ 1,288.55		
Fees paid by County	2,045.75	\$ 3,334.30	
Amount of Payroll, &c.		5,800.00	
Credit for 1921		3,494.80	
Credit for 1920		1,558.40	\$ 1,916.20
SHERIFFS OFFICE			
Fees paid by Litigants	\$11,162.45		
Fees paid by County	14,528.08	\$25,730.51	
Amount of Payroll, &c.		19,801.68	
Credit for 1921		5,808.82	
Credit for 1920		3,093.82	\$ 8,902.64
CORONERS OFFICE			
Fees paid by County	\$ 2,566.95	\$ 2,566.95	
Amount of Payroll, &c.		3,150.12	
Credit for 1921		416.02	
Credit for 1920		440.41	\$ 856.43
Total			\$ 354.75
			\$24,3

At the Theatres

THE SOISSON.

"A TRIP TO PARADISE," the feature picture today and tomorrow, presents Bert Lytell in the stellar role. Curley Finn is an artist in his line—the best and most successful "barker" in Coney Island. His rostrum is the entrance to the Widow Boland's "Trip to Paradise" concession in Dreamland. There he meets Nora O'Brien, daintily slender and fair-haired, who instantly captures his heart. Regardless of the Widow Boland's jealousy, for the widow loves him—he gives Nora free trips on the roller coaster. The widow's insolence to Nora induces him to quit his job. Curley and Nora say fare at the beach, so late that Nora says she will be homeless. She has let the time pass, heedless that her aunt had warned her never to return if she ever stayed out after midnight. Curley solves the situation by marrying her, but to a marriage license. Curley now has a wife but no job. His temperamental forbids him to take any work save that of his vocation; and the widow, by her venomous tongue, has effectively barred his chance of employment at Coney Island. The newly married couple live with Nora's old aunt.

THE PARAMOUNT.

"PLAYING WITH FIRE," the chief attraction today at this theatre, is a delightful picture with Gladys Walton in the stellar role. The little stars delineation of the character of a girl who craves to switch from cheap music store to society atmosphere is decidedly sympathetic. The feeling's shown it's not simply technique and direction—though proper credit must be given to Doris Fitzgerald for her guidance of the filming. The story, by J. L. Giesy and William M. Clayton, contains elements that not only provide entertainment, but portray the standard flapper in all her self-conscious glory. Doris Schroeder prepared the continuity. As the hero who shares the final kiss, William Cootler is a romantic knockout. Kathryn McCauley is a sassy convincing in her work with Harold Miller in the secondary roles. Miss McGuire used to be a bathing girl of slapstick comedies. She now is showing a surprising ability in high class roles. Eddie Gibson contributes laughs in plentiful amount, while Elinor Hancock, Lydia Knott, Sydney Franklin, Howard Mack, Harold Laurel and Danny Hoy put good spirit and technique in their interpretation of lesser roles. Tomorrow and Saturday "The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari" will be presented.

THE ORPHEUM.

"THE PRIMAL LAW," featuring Austin Farnum, is the feature picture today and tomorrow. The thrilling story, filled with fierce fighting and fast action, begins with the delightful portrayal of a friendly, big, strong man and a sentimental small boy. It is because the interests of the boy are attacked by a gang of murderous plotters that much of the fighting later occurs.

The entry of a charming girl from the East gives promise of a love theme and this develops under difficulties in the midst of exciting events. The story holds the attention and the interest throughout, and is one of the most entertaining that has been seen here.

The star is ably supported by Mary Thurman, Harry Dunkinson, Philo McCullough, Mae, Marceline, Frankie Lee and others. The work of directing the production has been per.

There is a fascinating element of mystery in the story, touches of humor and pathos, and many surprises which occur in startlingly dramatic fashion. The production was directed by Bernard Durning.

SHE DARKENED HER GRAY HAIR

Tells How She Did It With a Home-Made Remedy.

Mrs. E. H. Boots, a well-known resident of Buchanan County, Ia., who darkened her gray hair, made the following statement:

"Any lady or gentleman can darken their gray or faded hair, and make it soft and glossy with this simple remedy, which they can mix at home. To half a pint of water add one ounce of bay rum, one small box of Burbo Compound and one-fourth ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be purchased at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair every other day until the gray hair is darkened sufficiently. It does not color the scalp, is not greasy and does not rub off. It will make a gray-haired person look twenty years younger."—Advertisement.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 31—Harvey Umbel, who has been working at Meyersdale for some time, was here Saturday en route to his home at Sellersport, Md.

Muriel Darnell has returned from a business visit to New York. Walter Umbel has returned from Meyersdale, where he had been employed.

Head Ached and Body Ached. There are various symptoms of kidney trouble—rheumatic pains, back ache, sore muscles, stiff joints, and "always tired" feeling. Mrs. Geo. Morgan, E. Fairfield, Wt. writes: "My head ached and my whole body ached so I could not sleep. Foley Kidney Pills gave me relief." They heal and strengthen weak, disordered kidneys and bladder and help them in their work of filtering the blood and casting out of the system the impurities that cause pain and disease. Prompt action. Sold everywhere.—Advertisement.

Hunting Bargains!

Read our advertising columns and you will find them.

WRIGHT-METZLER CO.

Crawford Avenue

STORE NEWS

North Pittsburg Street



Three Outstanding Features of This Annual Event

1 A Sale of Corsets at 95c, \$2.95 and \$4.95

"Good corsets, properly fitted, mean health and a fashionable appearance." This is a rare opportunity to secure a perfect corset at a price.

Included are discontinued styles and odd lots in Gossard, Warner, American Lady, La Resist, Redfern and Sahlin's makes—broken sizes 19 to 30.

Corsets at 95c are Warners, Wright-Metzler Specials and American Lady makes valued up to \$2.50. Those at \$2.95 are Gossards, Warners, La Resist, Redfern and American Lady models formerly marked up to \$7.50. At \$4.95 are Gossard, Redfern and La Resist corsets formerly values \$8.50 to \$18.

We cannot guarantee that you will find every size in the styles and prices noted above, but we do guarantee that all corsets included are delightful values.

2 A Sale of New Spring Hand-Made Blouses at \$2.95

These blouses would be hard to duplicate—even at a much higher price. They feature the new "Peggy" collar (reminiscent of the old Peter Pan) and the popular "V" and Tuxedo neck treatments. Another distinctive style note is their tight fitting cuff.

Come in batiste and barred dimity, hand tailored, and trimmed with tasteful embroidery or dainty lace (in some cases real fillet). And the limited quantity makes it advisable that you come early.

Another special group of hand made Philippine and Porto Rican blouses, slightly soiled from handling are half price. Sizes 34 to 46. Now \$2.95 to \$7.35.

—Second Floor

3 Philippine and Porto Rican Lingerie \$1.85, \$2.85, \$3.85

The lowest prices we remember on hand-made lingerie!

At \$1.85—gowns and chemises, really hand stitched and embroidered, some trimmed with real lace. Sizes 15, 16, 17, in gowns. 36 to 44 in chemise. Splendid values!

At \$2.85—gowns and chemise trimmed with real lace and daintily hand embroidered. All sizes. To see them is to fully realize the charm of hand-made lingerie!

At \$3.85—an exquisite collection of garments taken from our regular stocks—every stitch made by hand. Notable for charming hand embroidery and hand drawn work. They've been selling up to \$5.95.

—Second Floor.

White Sale Silks

40 inch Ivory Crepe de Chine, a \$2 value, is reduced to \$1.65 yard.
36 inch Ivory and Flesh Wash Satin is reduced to \$1.65 yard.
36 inch washable Japanese Harbati Silk, splendid for handkerchiefs and undergarments, is reduced to \$1.50.
36 inch silk pongee, highly favored for Spring blouses and fancy handkerchiefs, is reduced from \$1.25 to \$1.00 yard.
All Wool French Serge, 56 in. wide, in navy only, a \$1.00 value, is special at \$1.65 yard.

Beginning Wednesday, February 1st comes—
The February Sale of White
—With Its Annual Tale of Interesting Values

MOST of the merchandise included in this event was bought some months ago before the recent 25% advance in cotton. Consequently we are able to present it to you at very, very interesting prices.

You remember that, with the beginning of the New Year, we promised that you would,

this year, find an unusual distinction, simplicity and quality in all our goods. This Sale provides you with a splendid opportunity to test our sincerity.

Let nothing keep you away. Many a woman will want to lay in a whole year's supply of the things she needs—so impressive are the values.

Save 20% 25% or 33 1/3% on
Muslin Underwear You Want!

Gowns	Petticoats
Short and long sleeve styles, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 15, 16 and 17.	Black, white and colored, in lace trimmed and embroidered effects.
\$1.25 values \$.95	\$1.50 values \$1.13
\$2.50 values \$1.95	\$2.50 values \$1.95
\$2.50 values \$2.25	\$2.50 values \$2.25
\$3.50 values \$2.75	Up to \$3.50 values at \$2.55
Chemise	Drawers
Notable for cheerfulness of fabric and dainty embroidery.	12 regular and extra sizes, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30.
\$1.00 values \$.75	\$1.75 values \$1.35
\$1.50 values \$1.15	\$1.50 values \$1.15
\$1.50 values \$2.05	\$1.50 values \$1.15
Up to \$2.50 values at \$1.65	\$2.50 values \$2.05

All stylish sport and casual underwear reduced 25% to 33 1/3% off to 50% especially designed for women of generous proportions.

Knit Underwear Takes Especially
Low White Sale Prices

The garments offered for White Sale selling are all of unquestioned high quality—unexcelled for comfort and warmth.

At 38c Each

Gauze vests in bleached cotton, low necked and sleeveless. Both regular and out sizes.

At 58c Each

Cotton union suits, low necked and sleeveless with tight or loose fitting knees. Were \$1.25.

At 68c Each

Bodice gauze vests in bleached cotton—sleeveless types. Regular and out sizes.

At 68c

Cotton union suits with bridge tops, low neck and sleeveless styles.

At \$1.00 Each

Cotton union suits with low neck and no sleeves, formerly marked up to \$3.75 each. Regular and out sizes.

At 1/2 Price

Women's and Children's cotton and wool union suits, pants and vests gathered together into one special group. Most any mother can find sizes to fit both herself and her children.

No End to the Money You Save on These Long Cloth and Nainsook Bargains



At \$1.75 piece—soft Egyptian long cloth, 10 yards to the piece.

At \$1.85 piece—36 inch superior English long cloth, 10 yards to the piece.

At \$2.25 piece—Channels, Florida long cloth, 34 inches wide, 10 yards to the piece.

At \$2.25 piece—36 inch soft English long cloth, 10 yards to the piece.

Extra Special
38 in. fine, soft long cloth, by the yd.
40c yard.



At \$2.75 piece—36 inch Superior English Nainsook, 10 yards to the piece.

At \$3.55 a box—36 inch, soft, fine Nainsook—10 yards to the box.

At \$5.00 a box—36 inch Bridal Wreath Nainsook—12 yards to the box.

At \$5.25 a box—36 inch Favorite Nainsook, 12 yards to the box.

White Sale Domestic

Here things that many of us need at home—in bathroom and bedroom—are reduced at certainly comfortable levels.

81x90 Tuxedo Sheets, bleached, are \$1.19 each.

81x90 Wearwell sheets, bleached, are \$1.35 each.

72x90 bleached Empire Sheets (Mohawk seconds) are \$1.25 each.

70x80 Wool mixed plain blankets are \$7.50 pair.

41x50 and 43x50 hemmed and crocheted full size bed spreads are \$1.35 each.

42x36 Cello pillow cases are 25c each.

43x26 lace trimmed pillow cases are 49c each.

43x36 hemstitched and embroidered pillow cases are 49c each.

61 inch unbleached Dallis muslin is 30c yard.

25c Blue Bird Moll (fine long cloth) is 25c yard.

25 inch White Outline, formerly 75c, is now 25c yard.

Colored crocheted edge knit wash cloths are 2 for 25c.

—Second Floor

White Sale Cotton Fabrics

Those of you who are to make shirt waists, baby dresses, aprons, summer dresses or curtains will find this interesting news.

40 inch Transparent White Organdie is 50c yard.

40 to 40 inch Plain White Flaxons in summer weaves are 25c, 35c, 40c and 60c yard.

32 to 35 inch Checked White Flaxons are 40c to 65c yard.

26 inch Checked Dimities, closely resembling flaxons, are 25c to 35c yard.

30 inch White India Linon is 25c to 35c yard.

30 to 35 inch Mercerized Batiste, ideal for shirtwaists, is 40c to 75c yard.

36 inch Checked Voiles are 35c yard.

Bleached Soft Indian Head for dresser scarves and embroidery pieces is special at 25c yard.

Washable cotton satin in white and flesh, a \$1.00 value, is special at 65c yard.

—Main Floor

Table Damask and Towels Take on New Low Prices

Damasks

All-linen damask cloths, measuring 70x70 are \$5.75 each.

30 all-linen damask cloths in irregular weaves, measuring 71x72, are Special at \$5.00 each.

Hemmed cotton napkins, 18 inch types, are \$1.75 doz.

58 inch bleached mercerized cotton damask in floral patterns is 65c yard.

72 inch white cotton damask, heavy quality and mercerized, in floral patterns, is \$1.00 yard.

Towels

Fine, soft, bleached cotton huck towels in plain white with red border, averaging 17x23, are 18c each—3 for 50c.

Bleached hemmed Turkish towels, sizes from 16x33 to 26x50, are priced 12 1/2c to 60c each.

17x35 bleached hemmed Union (half linen and half cotton) huck towels are 50c each.

17x35 all linen huck towels, hem-stitched and with floral borders are \$1.00 each.



—Main Floor

White Sale Children's Wear

All children's muslin underwear goes into the White Sale at greatly reduced prices—reduced in fact as well as name.

Gowns in sizes 4 to 14 years are 85c to \$1.15. Princess slips, sizes 3 to 16 years are 85c to \$2.95. Drawers, sizes 2 to 14 years are 25c to 95c.

Infant's long muslin gowns are offered at about half price. Now 85c to \$1.25.

Special Reductions on infant's and small boy's headwear find bonnets, caps and turbans in both silk and wool selling at

50c to \$1.50. One special lot is reduced One-Half—now 75c to \$3.45.

Our entire stock of infant's and small boy's white dresses—quadruple little things, some trimmed with lace and embroidery, others perfectly plain, is reduced for the Sale. Sizes 0, 6 months, 1 and 2 years. Prices now range 85c to \$4.55.

—Second Floor

Some Sale Miscellanies

25c all linen hemstitched handkerchiefs with embroidered corners; and 25c imported mercerized handkerchiefs with embroidered corners are 18c each—3 for 50c.

Good quality cotton hem-stitched handkerchiefs are 5c each.

Maxis Face Powder, regularly 50c a jar, is reduced to 38c. Limit of two to a customer.

100 12-yd bolts imported Val lace and insertion are special at 68c bolt.

60 pieces of plain and fancy ribbon, values to \$1.00 are 50c yard.

100 yards 27 inch Baby Flouncing, with hemstitched and embroidered edges, values to \$1.75 are special at \$1.35 yd.

—Main Floor